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- Industria Chimica Farmaceutica No. 9, the former Nitrosa factory with which
 the Legrain factory was merged during nationalization, is located on Strada
 Pucheni No. 8.
- The factory makes semi-finished bismuth, sulfur, and analgesic preparations for pharmaceutical enterprises.
- 3. There is a special laboratory, entry to which is prohibited, in a separate building in the yard. The door to the laboratory has a sign "Danger to Life", and the workers in the laboratory wear gas masks. An installation similar to a baking oven and some demijohns have been seen inside. It is believed that concentrated sulfuric or hydrochloric acid is made there.
- 4. The factory employs 60 workers, 40 of whom are women. Workers and officials earn from 4,500 to 10,000 lei per month, which is considered as adequate wages. The manager, a former fitter, earns 25,000 lei per month.
- 5. The chemists are young and inexperienced. Production is haphazard, and some of the factory products are alleged to have caused cases of poisoning.

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